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Youhei SAKAI, et al.

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Mold, Method of Forming the Same,

and Method of Producing

Polycrystalline Silicon Substrate Using

the Mold

Art Unit: 1743

Examiner: Seyed Masoud

Malekzadeh

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 6, 2012, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.